



EYFS Curriculum Newsletter:

Term: Autumn 2

Welcome back!

We hope you have had a good half term break and are ready and energised for the run up to Christmas!

The Season of Celebration.

This half term's theme 'Celebrations' will see us finding out about how and what people celebrate. We will explore similarities and differences, traditional food, decoration, music and clothing.

Over the term we will specifically focus on Bonfire Night, Remembrance Sunday, Diwali, Birthdays, Hanukkah and Christmas.

We would like to make the learning we do, as personal and special for the children as possible. Therefore if you have any photographs, books or artefacts or if you would like to come into school to talk about the religious festival you celebrate please do come and speak to a member of the team.

Make and Bake

Our fortnightly Make and Bake sessions will continue this half term with tasting Indian food, decorating cupcakes and baking a class birthday cake!

To contribute toward our fortnightly 'Make and Bake' sessions, we will again be asking all parents for a donation of £2. We rely heavily on the donations of our parents in order to buy ingredients for these sessions to go ahead.

How can you help?

Punctuality

Please be punctual so that the children are calm and settled and ready to start learning as soon as school opens.

School times are 8:40am -
11:40am / 3:15pm.

Classroom doors will close promptly at 8:50pm.

Sickness

If your child is unwell please remember to let us know, by contacting the school office on:
0115 915 3760

If your child has had sickness or diarrhoea they must be symptom free for 48 hours before returning to school.

Dates for your diary

This half term is extremely busy so please check the school website, weekly school newsletters and Class Dojo for the latest information and key dates.

30 th Nov	EYFS Birthday Party Day (linked to our thematic story: Cake by Sue Hendra). Children can come in their special celebration clothing.
7 th Dec	Christmas Fayre
13 th Dec	2:00pm EYFS & KSI Nativity performance
14 th Dec	Christmas jumper day Evening performance EYFS & KSI Nativity
18 th Dec	9:00am - 10:30am EYFS Christmas Crafts Parents Welcome!
19 th Dec	EYFS Christmas Party.
20 th Dec	INSET Day. End of Term begins.